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 Grp./Div. : 2826
 Examiner : F. Abraham
 Docket No. : 35761/DBP/S295

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

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Enclosed is an amendment to the above-identified application.

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
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| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | Highest Number Paid For | Number Extra Claims | Small Entity Rate | Large Entity Rate | FEE |
| Total Claims Fee | 8 | * 20 | | x \$9.00 | x \$18.00 | |
| Independent Claims | 2 | ** 3 | | x \$40.00 | x \$80.00 | |
| Multiple Dependent Claims *** | | | | \$135.00 | \$270.00 | |
| TOTAL FILING FEE | | | | | | \$0 |
| NO ADDITIONAL FEE REQUIRED **** | IF NO FEE REQUIRED, INSERT "0" | | | | | 0 |
| LIST INDEPENDENT CLAIMS: 1, 4 | | | | | | |
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☒ A Petition for Extension of Time and the required fee are enclosed.

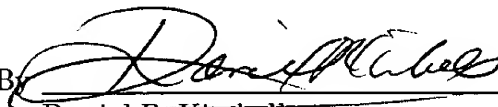
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Respectfully submitted,

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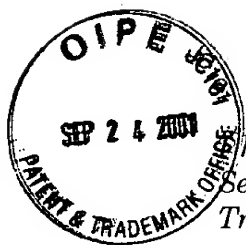
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner:

This paper is prepared in response to the Office action of May 9, 2001. Kindly reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following remarks.

REMARKS

Claims 1-8 are pending herein.

The Examiner rejects claims 1-8 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent No. 6,160,312 to Raad in view of the prior art submitted by applicant in Figure 1. Applicant has carefully considered the Examiner's description of the Raad reference and respectfully believes that the cited references fail to teach or suggest the